

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2021

TENTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 5:00 p.m. and was called to order by Mr. Speaker Sexton.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Rep. Kumar.

Representative Kumar led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present..... 93

Representatives present were Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Calfee, Campbell, Camper, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Gillespie, Griffey, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton -- 93

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following members have been excused, pursuant to requests under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Byrd; illness

Representative Carter; illness

Representative Darby; personal

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Bill No. 59 Reps. Crawford, Griffey, Rudd, Russell, Carr, Hodges, Doggett, Sparks, Weaver, Haston and Chism as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 666 Reps. Love and Jernigan as prime sponsors.

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**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
February 26, 2021**

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 39, 40, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 78, 80, 81, 83, 84, 86, 87, 88, 91, 94, 95 and 96; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

**ENROLLED BILLS
February 26, 2021**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 39, 40, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 78, 80, 81, 83, 84, 86, 87, 88, 91, 94, 95 and 96; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**SIGNED
February 26, 2021**

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 39, 40, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 78, 80, 81, 83, 84, 86, 87, 88, 91, 94, 95 and 96.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 27 and 49; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 27** -- Memorials, Recognition - "Bleeding Disorders Awareness Month" in Tennessee, March 2021. by *Bell, *Gardenhire, *Reeves.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 49** -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Urges Congress to propose to the states for ratification an amendment stating that the United States Supreme Court shall be composed of nine justices. by *Bell, *Kelsey, *White, *Bailey, *Jackson, *Niceley, *Stevens.

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RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions were introduced and placed on the Consent Calendar for March 4, 2021:

***House Joint Resolution No. 164** -- Memorials, Recognition - Richard W. Smith. by *Miller.

***House Joint Resolution No. 165** -- Memorials, Interns - Sarah Stansbury. by *Cepicky.

***House Joint Resolution No. 166** -- Memorials, Recognition - Ruth Verhegge, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Alexander.

***House Joint Resolution No. 167** -- Memorials, Recognition - Harlee Petretta, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Alexander.

***House Joint Resolution No. 168** -- Memorials, Recognition - Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5154, 75th anniversary. by *Moon.

***House Joint Resolution No. 169** -- Memorials, Sports - Lake Forest Middle School Lady Bruins basketball team, TMSAA State Champions. by *Howell.

***House Joint Resolution No. 170** -- Memorials, Death - Chris Ramsey. by *Hakeem.

***House Joint Resolution No. 171** -- Memorials, Recognition - Future Vertical Lift, a Department of Defense and U.S. Army modernization initiative. by *Lamberth.

***House Joint Resolution No. 172** -- Memorials, Death - Mac Boyd "Bill" Emerson. by *Hurt.

***House Joint Resolution No. 173** -- Memorials, Death - Frank Cagle. by *Farmer, *Faison.

***House Joint Resolution No. 174** -- Memorials, Retirement - Brigadier General Kurt Winstead, Tennessee Army National Guard. by *Windle, *Whitson.

***House Joint Resolution No. 175** -- Memorials, Death - Ellen Lee Abbott. by *Powell.

***House Joint Resolution No. 176** -- Memorials, Death - Garry Jerome Stafford. by *Camper.

***House Joint Resolution No. 177** -- Memorials, Death - Reverend John Wilkins. by *Camper.

***House Joint Resolution No. 178** -- Memorials, Retirement - Celeste Thomas. by *Cochran.

***House Joint Resolution No. 179** -- Memorials, Recognition - Nolachuckey Chapter of DAR, 100th anniversary. by *Hawk.

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**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS
(Congratulatory and Memorializing)**

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the resolution listed was noted as being placed on the Consent Calendar for March 4, 2021:

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 27** -- Memorials, Recognition - "Bleeding Disorders Awareness Month" in Tennessee, March 2021. by *Bell, *Gardenhire.

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

On motion, bills listed below passed second consideration and were referred by the Speaker to Committee or held on the Clerk's desk as noted:

House Bill No. 1511 -- Henderson County -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1512 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1513 -- Textbooks -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 1514 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1515 -- Local Government, General -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1516 -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1517 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1518 -- Bail, Bail Bonds -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1519 -- Education, Higher -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1520 -- Election Laws -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1521 -- Veterans -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1522 -- Business and Commerce -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1523 -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1524 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 1525 -- Public Utility Commission -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

***House Bill No. 1526** -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1527 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

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House Bill No. 1528 -- Jellico -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1529 -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1530 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance Committee

House Bill No. 1531 -- Telecommunications -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 1532 -- Sentencing -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1533 -- Law Enforcement -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1534 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 1535 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 1536 -- Textbooks -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 1537 -- Textbooks -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 1538 -- State Government -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1539 -- Abortion -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 1540 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1541 -- Explosives -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 1542 -- Eminent Domain -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1543 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance -- House Naming & Designating Committee

House Bill No. 1544 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 1545 -- Child Abuse -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1546 -- Law Enforcement -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1547 -- Children's Services, Dept. of -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1548 -- Education -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 1549 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration Committee

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House Bill No. 1550 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 1551 -- Consumer Protection -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1552 -- Fines and Penalties -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1553 -- Public Records -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1554 -- Education, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1555 -- Landlord and Tenant -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 1556 -- Gambling -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1557 -- Redistricting, Legislative -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1558 -- County Government -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1559 -- School Vouchers -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 1560 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1561 -- Public Contracts -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1562 -- State Government -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1563 -- Prisons and Reformatory Institutions -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1564 -- Schools, Charter -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 1565 -- Sentencing -- House Criminal Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1566** -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1567 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance -- House Naming & Designating Committee

House Bill No. 1568 -- Search & Seizure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1569 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1570 -- Students -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

***House Bill No. 1571** -- Troy -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1572 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 1573 -- Probation and Parole -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

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House Bill No. 1574 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1575 -- Education, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1576 -- Veterans -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1577 -- Salaries and Benefits -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 1578 -- State Employees -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1579 -- Prisons and Reformatory Institutions -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1580 -- Telecommunications -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1581 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 1582 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 1583 -- Redistricting, Legislative -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1584 -- Redistricting, Congressional -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1585 -- Taxes -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 1586 -- Basic Education Program (BEP) -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 1587 -- Controlled Substances -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1588 -- Orders of Protection -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1589 -- Appropriations -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 1590 -- Public Employees -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1591 -- Education -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 1592 -- Correctional Programs -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1593 -- Public Contracts -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1594 -- Handgun Permits -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1595 -- Health Care -- House Insurance Committee

House Bill No. 1596 -- Health, Dept. of -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 1597 -- Criminal Procedure -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

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House Bill No. 1598 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 1599 -- District Attorneys -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1600 -- Inheritance Laws -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1601 -- Handgun Permits -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1602** -- Gleason -- House Local Government Committee

CAPTION BILLS REFERRED March 1, 2021

Pursuant to **Rule No. 47**, the following Caption Bills 401 and 1191 held on the Clerk's desk were referred to the following Committees:

***House Bill No. 401** -- Workers Compensation -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 1191 -- Taxes -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

The committees that met on **March 1, 2021**, reported the following:

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

The Government Operations Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 279, 281, 282, 283, 285, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 294, 295, 301, 1055, 258, 278, 284, 312, 315, 311 and 567. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

CONSENT CALENDAR

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 120** -- Memorials, Recognition - Metropolitan Nashville Police Department, Nashville Fire Department, Nashville Office of Emergency Management, Tennessee Highway Patrol, Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, Tennessee Emergency Management Agency, Federal Bureau of Investigation, and the Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives. by *McNally, *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 121** -- Memorials, Heroism - Officer Brenna Hosey, Metro Nashville Police Department. by *McNally, *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager.

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***Senate Joint Resolution No. 122** -- Memorials, Heroism - Officer Tyler Luellen, Metro Nashville Police Department. by *McNally, *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 123** -- Memorials, Heroism - Officer Michael Sipos, Metro Nashville Police Department. by *McNally, *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 124** -- Memorials, Heroism - Officer Amanda Topping, Metro Nashville Police Department. by *McNally, *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 125** -- Memorials, Heroism - Officer James Wells, Metro Nashville Police Department. by *McNally, *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 126** -- Memorials, Heroism - Sergeant Timothy Miller, Metro Nashville Police Department. by *McNally, *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 127** -- Memorials, Recognition - Josie Fellers. by *McNally.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 128** -- Memorials, Death - Thomas "Mark" Alderson. by *McNally.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 129** -- Memorials, Death - Dr. Paul Ellsworth Spray. by *McNally, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 130** -- Memorials, Death - Patsy Stair-Lomeli. by *McNally, *Massey, *Yager.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 131** -- Memorials, Recognition - UCOR, Vision 2020. by *McNally, *Yager, *Briggs, *Kelsey, *Walley.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 132** -- Memorials, Public Service - Senator Steve Dickerson. by *McNally, *Johnson, *Yager, *Haile, *Yarbro, *Akbari, *Bell, *Bailey, *Campbell, *Gilmore, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Pody, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Watson.

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***Senate Joint Resolution No. 133** -- Memorials, Death - Louise McCracken Crowe. by *McNally, *Johnson, *Yager, *Haile, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Gilmore, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yarbro.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 134** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Josh Parker, Campbell County High School Teacher of the Year. by *Yager, *McNally.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 136** -- Memorials, Death - Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg. by *Yarbro, *Kyle, *Gilmore, *Robinson, *Campbell, *Akbari.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 137** -- Memorials, Death - Riley C. Darnell. by *Yarbro, *Kyle, *Gilmore, *Robinson, *Campbell, *Akbari, *Powers.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 138** -- Memorials, Death - Roger Dale Elder. by *Bailey, *Swann.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 139** -- Memorials, Personal Occasion - Comer Allen, 100th birthday. by *Bailey.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 140** -- Memorials, Retirement - Chief Master Sergeant Scott Roberts, Tennessee Air National Guard. by *Pody.

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 141** -- Memorials, Death - K-9 Officer Sjaak. by *White, *Reeves.

OBJECTION--CONSENT CALENDAR

Objection was filed to the following on the Consent Calendar:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 136: by Rep. Faison

Under the rules, Senate Joint Resolution No. 136, was placed at the heel of the calendar for March 2, 2021.

Rep. Lamberth moved that all members voting aye on **Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125** and **126** be added as co-prime sponsors, which motion prevailed with the following member not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Rep. Ragan.

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Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Zachary moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate Joint Resolutions confirming appointments on the Clerk's desk be substituted for House Joint Resolutions confirming the same appointments, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	90
Noes.....	1
Present and not voting.....	3

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Calfee, Campbell, Camper, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulse, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Shaw, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--90

Representatives voting no were: Sexton J--1

Representatives present and not voting were: Griffey, Lafferty, Sherrell--3

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "no" to "aye" on **Consent Calendar** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. J. Sexton.

REGULAR CALENDAR

***Senate Joint Resolution No. 118** -- Memorials, Recognition - Vanderbilt Project on Unity and American Democracy. by *Yarbro, *Campbell, *Gilmore. (*Powers, *Clemmons)

Further consideration of Senate Joint Resolution No. 118, previously considered on the Consent Calendar for February 25, 2021, at which time it was objected to and reset for today's Regular Calendar.

Rep. Clemmons moved that **Senate Joint Resolution No. 118** be reset for the Regular Calendar on March 15, 2021, which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOTICE

The Clerk announced that Governor Lee had appointed Judge Jill Ayers to fill a vacancy of the Tennessee Court of Criminal Appeals, Middle Section.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Resolution No. 23 Reps. Vaughan, Hurt and Alexander as prime sponsors.

House Joint Resolution No. 8 Reps. Powers, J. Sexton, Moon, Farmer and McKenzie as prime sponsors.

House Joint Resolution No. 85 Rep. Ramsey as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 150 Rep. Weaver as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2 Rep. Rudd as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 3 Reps. Warner, Littleton and Powers as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 55 Rep. Griffey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 59 Rep. Rudder as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 101 Rep. Whitson as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 116 Rep. Grills as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 119 Rep. Carr as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 120 Rep. Thompson as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 130 Rep. Littleton as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 146 Rep. Rudd as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 239 Reps. Faison, Carter and Sparks as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 374 Rep. Griffey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 384 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 394 Reps. Cooper, Miller, Chism, G. Johnson, Moon, Lynn, McKenzie, Camper, Curcio, Lamberth, Lamar, Stewart, Harris, White, Travis, Cochran, Ogles, Faison, Marsh, J. Sexton, Towns, Mitchell and Thompson as prime sponsors.

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House Bill No. 434 Reps. Keisling and Jernigan as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 474 Rep. Griffey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 511 Rep. Gillespie as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 523 Reps. Powers, Hawk and Smith as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 533 Reps. Smith, Hulsey, Carr, Reedy, Rudder, Moody, White, Warner, Faison, Casada, Cepicky, Ragan and Haston as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 534 Rep. Griffey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 598 Rep. Ramsey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 734 Rep. Rudd as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 743 Rep. Ramsey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 744 Rep. Lamberth as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 784 Rep. Gillespie as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 786 Rep. Griffey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 903 Reps. Cochran as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 947 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1013 Rep. Littleton as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1030 Rep. Clemmons as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1080 Rep. Cochran as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1128 Rep. Lamberth as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1145 Reps. Moody, Hurt and Cepicky as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1214 Rep. Ramsey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1271 Rep. White as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1278 Rep. Clemmons as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1299 Rep. Jernigan as First prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1388 Rep. Weaver as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1398 Rep. Smith as prime sponsor.

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House Bill No. 1512 Rep. Littleton as First prime sponsor.

SPONSORS WITHDRAWN

On Motion, Rep. Hall withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 1342**.

On Motion, Rep. Hall withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 1343**.

On Motion, Rep. Lafferty withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 1512**.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 39, 40, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 78, 80, 81, 83, 84, 86, 87, 88, 91, 94, 95 and 96; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK

March 1, 2021

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 39, 40, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64 and 66; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 95, 96, 97, 98, 101, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 114, 116 and 117; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED

March 1, 2021

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 95, 96, 97, 98, 101, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 114, 116 and 117.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2021 – TENTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present..... 95

Representatives present were Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Calfee, Campbell, Camper, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Griffey, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton -- 95

RECESS

On motion of Rep. Gant, the House stood in recess until 9:30 a.m., Thursday, March 4, 2021.